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CHINA'S STRONGHOLD TAKEN

The Japanese Have Very Little Difficulty in Capturing Port Arthur.

Further Particulars Regarding the Capture of the Talien Wan.

London, Nov. 12.—A Shanghai dispatch says it is reported that Port Arthur was taken by the Japanese yesterday without resistance. The Japanese after bombarding the place a short time made a land assault upon the enemy's works, when the Chinese surrendered. The general in command and the chief officers of the Chinese forces at Port Arthur abandoned the fort on November 6 and have disappeared. Several European ministers are preparing to leave Pekin.

A Tokio correspondent gives additional details of the capture of Talien Wan. He says six forts on Talien Wan bay, mounting eighty guns, together with all their stores and ammunition, were captured. The enemy was completely routed and fled panic stricken. The Japanese parliament has been summoned to meet in Tokio in December.

London, Nov. 12.—A Tokio dispatch says two Americans who were arrested on board the steamer Sydney at Kobe have been released under a written guarantee that they would give no assistance to the enemy. The Chinamen arrested with the Americans have been sent to Hiroshima.

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MR. FOSTER RETURNS.

He Talks of the Canadian Loan and the Fast Steamship Line.

Ottawa, Nov. 12.—Minister Foster returned here to-day from England. He is greatly pleased with the success attending the floating of the new Canadian loan. He says that over half a million pounds sterling was subscribed by Canadian banks, but unfortunately their tenders were too low to obtain any of the stock. Quite a block of stock was taken in New York. Mr. Foster says that he saw Lord Jersey's report on the intercolonial conference, and that it will be sympathetic to the colonies interested. The minister returned by way of New York, but says that route has disadvantages compared with a fast Canadian line. In this connection he said that Huddart was pushing his scheme with much energy and hopes of success. Asked as to the present being a good time for floating Canadian railway schemes, Mr. Foster replied: "Although there is any amount of money awaiting investment, it will be satisfied with nothing but first-class security, and the time was never more unpropitious than the present for floating airy and impracticable schemes." Mr. Foster is improved in health, and his London physician told him that all he wanted was relaxation work, with occasional rests, when he would be completely restored.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Death of a Relative of Sir John Macdonald—Earthquake in Quebec.

Toronto, Nov. 12.—Nicholas Graham, a Queen street merchant, began suit to recover $5000 damages from the city and police for false arrest on a charge of insanity. He says he was jailed without a warrant, the police having acted on the request of Mrs. Graham. Graham spent a week in jail, was examined, declared perfectly sane and liberated only to find his wife had sold out his business and he was without a home.

Berthierville, Que., Nov. 12.—About 11:40 last night two severe shocks of earthquake were felt here. There was another shock at 1:30 this morning. The quivers seemed to be travelling from northeast to southwest.

Yamaska, Que., Nov. 12.—At 11:40 last night an earthquake shock was felt here. It shook things quite violently and was accompanied by a low rumbling sound.

Montreal, Nov. 12.—Manager Eckford of the High River Horse Ranche Company, who brought down a carload of horses, has made a satisfactory sale, returning to Calgary this week.

London, Nov. 12.—James Allen Walker, cousin of the late Sir John Macdonald, died of heart disease this morning, aged 86. He was deaf and dumb.

Brief Locals.

—The steamship Sikh, of the Northern Pacific line, is due here from the Orient, and is hourly expected to arrive. Pilot Gather of Tacoma is here to meet her.

—A man named Malcolm Rowan, employed under Mr. Stickles, who is superintending the erection of the new electric light plant, was very severely burned this morning. At the time of the accident he was handling a wire which had come in contact with a live wire running into the Dallas hotel. Both hands are badly burned, in one place to the bone. The wire had to be cut with a hatchet, as Rowan was unable to unclasp his hand.

—On Saturday evening George Hall and Robert Smith visited the Empire restaurant and in pay for their meal palmed a $10 confederate bill off on the cashier. They were arrested by Detective Perdue, and to-day in police court after a hearing lasting nearly all day, were committed for trial at the fall assizes for obtaining money under false pretences. The bail was fixed at $250 each. Smith is the son of respectable parents here, but Hall has a rather hard name. He is said to have deserted from the United States army at the Presidio, San Francisco, and it is known by the police that since he came here he started his wife on a career of shame. This is the third time confederate bills have been passed here in the last ten days.

—The plan of the Victoria theatre for the reservation of seats for the minstrel performances Thanksgiving evening and night will be opened at Jamieson's at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning, and holders of tickets and those desiring them, should lose no time in securing seats. Dress rehearsals begin this week, and everything will be ready for the curtain to rise on the night of Wednesday the 21st. There are a lot of people going to see what their friends look like in a minstrel show, and they are going to be agreeably disappointed by seeing them give a first-class performance. The music selected is of a high order, the gags are irresistible, the acts sparkling and the skirt dance—well, you go and see it.

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CROWN OF ENGLAND WRECKED

The Well-Known Coal Carrier Piled Up on Rocks Off Southern California.

Captain and Crew Seek Refuge on a Small Island.—A Total Wreck.

Port Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 12.—The mate and five of the crew of the British steamer Crown of England, after being for two days and nights in an open boat, have arrived at this port, bringing intelligence of the total loss of the vessel on the rocks at Santa Rosa islands. The steamer struck on Wednesday morning at 2 o'clock, during a dense fog, and a few hours after her bottom dropped out. Her rudder post was also broken off, and she is now a total wreck. Twenty-two men, comprising the officers and crew, succeeded in reaching shore in safety. The effects of the officers and men, with most of the ship's stores, were landed. The long boat was launched for the purpose of seeking relief, with the result above mentioned, and a vessel will promptly be sent out to rescue the captain and remainder of the crew, who are still on the island.

The Crown of England left San Diego on the 6th inst. for Nanaimo, and the Nanaimo pilots were expecting her along at any time. She was under charter to carry coal from Nanaimo to California ports for John Rosenfeld & Sons, agents for the New Vancouver Coal company. She had taken a cargo to San Diego and was returning for another when wrecked. The Crown of England was built in 1893 by R. Williamson & Co., of Workington, for Robertson, Cruickshank & Company, of Liverpool. She was an iron steamer, her registered tonnage was 1790, and she was assigned 100 A1 by Lloyd's. The Crown of England was repaired at this port previous to her last trip.

The Dead Czar.

London, Nov. 12.—The Duke of York and Duke of Connaught start for St. Petersburg to-night to attend the funeral of the late czar.

Paris, Nov. 12.—The wreath which President Casimir-Perrier sent to St. Petersburg to be placed on the bier of the late czar is of silver, six feet high and four and a half feet wide.

Moscow, Nov. 12.—The body of the late czar was taken from the Kremlin to-day and conveyed to the railway station en route for St. Petersburg. The streets were lined with people, troops and profuse mourning decorations.

Brief Locals.

—The fish seized on the west coast about two weeks ago and brought to this city by the Quadra was sold to-day by Auctioneer George Byrnes in pursuance of the seizure and condemnation proceedings. No one would bid against the owners, who were ignorant of the law, and they bought the fish in at 15 cents per kit. The first bid was ten cents. The proceeds will not pay expenses.

—Amor De Cosmos has been summoned for an infraction of the health by-law in maintaining a nuisance at his Government street property. The case will be heard on the 16th instant. H. M. Dumbleton has been summoned for an infraction of the sewerage connections by-law. He will be heard on the 19th instant.

—The city council will at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning go to the Old Men's Home for the purpose of conducting the investigation into the affairs of that institution. They will very likely examine all of the inmates and will probably be out there all day. The investigation has been forced by a lot of charges made and stories circulated by the inmates.

—The proceedings of the grand lodge of K. of P. of British Columbia has been published. There are 19 lodges in the province with a membership of 1331, an increase of 379 since the publication of the last report. The assets exceed the liabilities by $28,572.72. In the Uniform Rank there are 55 members, and the endowment policies amount to $116,000.

—The steamship Empress of Japan is scheduled to sail for the Orient to-night, but as yet no advices have been received as to her departure from Vancouver.

—In the fog on Saturday morning, just outside of Seattle harbor, the steamer City of Kingston was run into by the steamer Mary Perley. They were both whistling, and the officers knew of one another's presence, and both had reversed before they struck. Neither was badly damaged. About $700 will repair the Kingston, and she will be laid off this week.

AMERICAN SHIP BUILDING.

The First of the Fleet for the International Navigation Company.

Philadelphia, Nov. 12.—The ocean greyhound St. Louis, the first of the steam ships built in this country for the International Navigation Company, was launched at 12:29 to-day. Mrs. Cleveland stood sponsor, and as the giant slid down the ways at Cramp's ship yard, broke a bottle of champagne across her bow, saying at the same time, "I christen thee St. Louis." This was the signal for tumultuous applause by thousands of assembled spectators. The movement of the vessel was at first barely perceptible, but once fairly started the St. Louis swept down the ways with an irresistible rush. The stern struck the water cleanly and an instant later was floating in the river. President and Mrs. Cleveland and several of his cabinet with their wives arrived on a special train from Washington shortly after 12 o'clock. The party was received by President Cramp and others.

DOWN WITH THE LORDS

The Ministry Decides to Move the Abolition of the Veto Power.

A Proposition Mooted to Hold Another Colonial Council in London.

London, Nov. 11.—At yesterday's cabinet council the ministry definitely decided to put the resolution for the abolition of the veto power of the house of lords in the first place on the programme of legislation to be considered at the coming session of parliament. Following this measure will come in order the electoral registration bill, the bill for the disestablishment of the church of Wales and Mr. Morley's Irish land bill. The government supporters are firmly convinced that it is possible to pass the anti-lords and registration bills before the dissolution of parliament, and have instructed the party managers throughout the country to organize the agitation against the house of lords and to arrange for demonstrations at various points without delay. All over Great Britain the various local Liberal associations will respond to the impetus from headquarters with alacrity, and the movement against the upper house promises to become as enthusiastic and widespread as any reform agitation ever known in the country.

Lord Rosebery in his speech at the lord mayor's banquet in the Guildhall last evening hinted at the possibility of an entente with Russia being reached. The prime minister did not reveal the exact line of diplomacy to be followed to reach the desired end, but states that it had the sanction of the cabinet and would effect such an arrangement with Russia as would be counter to the French policy.

Lord Ripon, secretary of state for the colonies, will urge upon his colleagues in the cabinet that a colonial conference be shortly convened in London for the discussion of such questions as were treated at the similar conference held recently in Ottawa, especially such as have any relation to the United Kingdom. The premier looks with favor on the proposal.

Amid the chorus of praise of the dead czar which is heard on all sides, a discordant note is sounded by a communication from the Russian followers of Count Tolsti, which has just been published. In this communication the czar is accused of acceding to the cruelties practiced against a harmless sect, whose houses were raided and plundered and whose families were driven into exile. Count Tolstoi wrote directly to the czar on behalf of Prince Khilkhov, a rich land owner, who for giving up his estates for the benefit of the poor was banished to the Caucasus and separated from his children, beseeching the czar that his children might be allowed to join him. In response Alexander III. sent a message to Count Tolstoi forbidding the latter to address another communication to him.

The Prince of Wales has ordered a Clyde built yacht of less beam than the Britannia, to be ready for next season.

Lord Dunraven will defer the definite approval of the designs submitted for his new challenger for the America cup until the conditions governing the contest for the trophy shall have been definitely settled.

Michael Davitt has written an open letter denouncing Cardinal Vaughan and many priests for trying to coerce Catholic voters in the London school board elections. He says that no obligation rests on Catholic laymen to think as the priests do on the election of a commoner or member of the school board. Like the Archbishop of Canterbury, Cardinal Vaughan, he thinks, is on the side of Torvism, and with them represents the anti-Irish feeling.

LABOR TROUBLES.

White Men Refuse to Work With Colored Men in New Orleans.

New Orleans, Nov. 10.—In anticipation of trouble between the screw men, four companies of infantry and a battery of artillery, with three gatlings, are now quartered in the armories and railway and steamship property is being guarded by United States marshals and special constables against incendiary acts, which are elements of the labor troubles which have been existing here for two weeks past. The trouble is not in the nature of a strike, but grows out of the refusal of members of the white men's cotton screw men's association to allow the colored cotton screw men to engage with them any longer in that business. The next development cannot be predicted, but the next few days can safely be expected to bring forth some sensational developments.

WORDEN CONVICTED.

California Train Wrecker Found Guilty of Murder.

Woodland, Cal., Nov. 10.—The Worden jury yesterday returned a verdict of murder in the first degree with no recommendation. The first ballot found the defendant guilty of murder. The second ballot was eight to four in favor of hanging and the third ballot was unanimous. When the verdict was announced Worden was excited and demanded that he be sentenced immediately. Judge Grant informed him that he must go according to law and set Monday next as the time for passing sentence.

The trial has been a long one, having continued almost without interruption since July last. Worden was one of the railway strikers, and the charge upon which he was convicted was that of wrecking a Southern Pacific railway train, by which an engineer was killed. The evidence against Worden was very direct, a boy testifying that he drove him to the scene of the wreck on the day it occurred.

When seen in his cell last night Worden appeared not unwilling to talk, and frankly confessed: "Yes, I am guilty, but there are others even more guilty than I am. I suppose I shall have to hang. Strong has done all that he could for me, but has failed. Others, those who were deeper in the conspiracy than I was, all combined against me. I feel I shall not hang alone, you can depend on that. I am going to tell the whole truth about this affair, and when it is all known a great many people will be surprised. There are more men implicated in this crime than have yet been indicted for it. They promised to help me, but failed at the last moment. Well, I will not hang alone." When pressed for particulars Worden declined to give the specific names and facts now, but promised to have a full and complete statement in the near future.

A CHECKERED CAREER.

Cincinnati's Gossips Given Something to Talk About.

Cincinnati, Nov. 10.—John Kaufman, the rich brewer here, became infatuated with and married a girl singing in one of the concert halls several years ago. Every effort was made at the time to keep the matter quiet and the couple went to housekeeping in fine style. Soon talk of the wife's fondness for drink got abroad. Then there were escapades and finally scandal. Kaufman sued for divorce. The wife attempted to kill his business partner, and later, on a swift-moving train, she shot Kaufman, from which he is only now recovering. In court it was said she had been thrice married and divorced. Mrs. Kaufman corrected this statement by the assertion that her first husband was dead when she married Beckman. She and the latter lived at the Coleman house for a time. Then he sailed for Apia, in the Samoan Islands. She had never heard from him since, except by a letter from her mother, saying "Caesar is dead." Fragments of a marriage license were exhibited which it was claimed Mrs. Kaufman burned to destroy the evidence of her marriage to Beckman. The sensation of the day was developed when Mrs. Kaufman acknowledged having run a large restaurant and gambling den on the Isthmus of Panama. So high was the playing and so lucky the bank, that Mrs. Kaufman made $25,000. There she met Beckman, whom she afterwards married. They travelled to Paris and lived as man and wife until her parents consented to their marriage. Referring to the shooting of Mr. Kaufman, she testified that when she approached him in the cars he turned to her and remarked: "If you had waited until the next train you would have been a passenger with the other girl." At this point Mrs. Kaufman broke down, and between sobs said: "I pulled out the gun to shoot myself. I wanted to die, but it exploded before I aimed it at my heart and hit him."

SUCCESSFUL REBELS.

Several Towns in Equador Captured and Forces Routed.

New York, Nov. 10.—A special from Guayaquil, Equador, says: To-day Seminario, the rebel commander, captured Eten, Reque and Pimentel, getting a large amount of money as well as a lot of arms. Then the rebels re-organized and waited an attack from the combined forces under General Bargona. After a battle lasting over seven hours the rebels broke Bargona's lines and forced his troops to retreat in confusion, leaving arms, clothing and accoutrements behind. Their general narrowly escaped falling into the hands of the rebels. Col. Navilo, who led the attacking government forces, is dangerously wounded and in hiding. Roque was completely destroyed. Not a house was left standing. The money taken by Tocfar Seminario at Lambayeque amounted to about $16,000.

Quito, Ecuador, Nov. 9.—Insurgents have taken and fortified Pulcan. The entire garrison has joined the rebels. The president has raised a loan and is preparing a strong expedition against them.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

News by Wire from All Parts of the World.

It is stated that the Turkish government has paid fifty thousand Turkish pounds into the Russian embassy at Constantinople as a tenth instalment of the indemnity due Russia on account of the Russo-Turkish war in 1887.

J. P. Emerson, who attempted to kill H. H. Lowenthal, a well known attorney of San Francisco, has been held to answer in bonds of $2,000.

The U. S. ship Yorktown left Mare Island this morning at ten o'clock for Honolulu, thence to Yokohama.

The weather at New York continues unfavorable for the successful exhibition of the transit mercury.

A meeting will be held in Chicago about November 16th for the purpose of reorganizing the tran-continental association. Receiver Walker of the Santa Fe has gone to New York to endeavor to settle the existing difficulties between his company and Southern Pacific which alone prevent the reorganization of the association.

Theodore R. Davis, the celebrated war artist died to-day of Bright's disease, aged 54. His sketches during the war made him famous. He was intimate with Grant, Sherman, Sheridan and others.

The whole upper part of King's Hotel, Pomenta, Cal., has been burned. Loss, $9,000. Small insurance.

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OUT OF THE WORLD.

Jealousy Causes a Woman to be a Recluse for Life.

Middletown, N. Y., Nov. 10.—Mrs. A. Bromley, widow of Avery A. Bromley, a prominent and wealthy citizen, died suddenly yesterday, at the age of 70 years, in her home on James street, in the business centre of this city, where for 18 years she has lived the life of a recluse. For twelve years before the death of her husband, August 4, 1888, she never left the house, never admitted a caller, kept no servants, never opened the front door or a front window and so far as is known never spoke to a human being. Her husband slept in the house, but took his meals at hotels and restaurants. During his last illness, which was of several months duration, he was cared for at the home of a friend and a few days before his death, his wife, who had been informed of his condition by a note thrust under the door, went to see him. She attended his funeral, saw a lawyer in regard to the settlement of his estate and then dropped back into her old life. Mrs. Bromley was a second wife. She was interested in church work and had many friends before she isolated herself. Mr. and Mrs. Bromley went to the Centennial exhibition in 1876, where they were joined by Mr. Bromley's daughters by the first wife, one of whom was married, and both of whom lived in Ohio. On their return from Philadelphia Mrs. Bromley withdrew from the world. It is believed that Mrs. Bromley's conduct was due to jealousy and her husband's failure to resent a slight, real or imaginary, put upon her by his daughters.

MADAGASCAR TROUBLE.

All Diplomatic Agreement With France Broken Off.

Port Louis, Nov. 10.—A dispatch says all diplomatic agreements between France and Madagascar are broken off. The Hovas are concentrating in northern extremity of the Island of Madagascar.

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GERMAN DISRUPTION.

Some Outspoken Remarks About the Kaiser by the German Press.

Opinions Expressed Regarding the Cause of the Democratic Defeat.

Berlin, Nov. 11.—Now that the dazzling effect made by Emperor William's "lightning change" solution of the ministerial crisis is clearing away and the people are taking a clearer view of the situation in all its bearings, two distinct feelings are becoming manifest; one, of uneasiness among politicians generally respecting the stability of the German home policy, which there is now little doubt will be considerably modified by the advent of Prince Hohenlohe, the new chancellor; and the other a feeling of anxiety openly expressed by the mouthpiece of the liberty party at the autocratic attitude which the emperor assumed in settling the difficulty. His action was certainly not more arbitrary than upon the occasion of the downfall of Prince Bismarck from power, but the German people hardly expected to witness a repetition of that incident within so comparatively short a period.

The National Zeitung gives emphatic expression to this misgiving, and declares that the solidity of the Prussian cabinet must be re-established if confidence is to be restored. The radical organs are even more outspoken. The Boersen Courier reminds its readers that two chancellors, four imperial secretaries of state and fifteen Prussian ministers have been used up in a little more than six years. The Grenzeboten says: "Clearly confidence in the stability of the vital principles of the government has been weakened by recent events." The newspaper quoted then calls upon the German nation to make a firm stand in defence of its constitutional rights.

The most striking utterance, however, comes in the Zunk Unft, which, in an article printed to-day on the emperor's autocratic tendency, makes a rather daring comparison between Emperor William and Charles I. of England, who was forever demanding the explicit and unceasing confidence of his subjects, with what result to himself is readily recalled. The paper adds: "Matters have come to such a pass in the German empire that the most weighty decisions depend upon accidents and the company the emperor chooses to keep, and on the manner his entourage represents things to him. The citizens themselves, who preserve and protect this German empire and maintain the army and the court, are expected to rest content, hold their tongues, and be always assured that the well qualified authorities are safeguards of their welfare. This is asking too much."

Such outspoken remarks are rarely ventured in the German public press, and the Zunk Unft is treading upon dangerous ground. Its utterance, nevertheless, truly voices the growing feeling of misgiving among a large and liberal minded section of the German public, and is more easily discerned in the states outside of Prussia. Indeed, the emperor has been forced into a realization of the dangers of the present situation by remonstrances addressed to him from Bavaria, Baden and Wurtemburg regarding Caprivi's dismissal and the general instability of the government.

This is an important fact, because it became known coupled with the announcement that Caprivi's trip to South Germany was not entirely a private affair, but takes the form of a mission, at the request of the emperor, with the object of calming the feeling of unrest and allaying the awakened disposition toward independent action on the part of the South German states. A demonstration of this spirit of particularism is found in the Grand Duke of Baden appointing special envoys to the courts of Stuttgart and Munich. Since General Caprivi's dismissal the Grand Duke of Baden has not concealed his indignation at the unceremonious and sudden ministerial disruption, and he has taken this step in order to show his disapproval.

The feeling of apprehension concerning the stability of the home policy of Germany is amply justified by the ministerial changes which everybody now agrees to be imminent. Prince Hohenlohe, as stated in previous dispatches, is determined that every member of the cabinet shall be in entire harmony with his views. Besides the important changes already known, it is anounced to-day that Dr. Boetticher, imperial secretary of state for the interior and vice-president of the Prussian council of ministers, has tendered his resignation. The half-hearted denial of this statement only tends to confirm it, and an official announcement of his resignation is expected within a few days. Notice is also published to-day of the appointment of Herr Hammerstein as Prussian minister of agriculture.

The independence of the new chancellor is a matter of common knowledge, and he has more than once shown a disposition to assert his authority to the utmost. This determination to have his own way, however, is just what is regarded as the element of insecurity in the situation. The prince will brook no rebuff, and unless the emperor fully acquiesces in his views as to the composition of the two cabinets and in regard to important questions of policy, there will be another ministerial crisis right off.

The postponement of the opening of the reichstag from November 15 to December 15 is due to Prince Hohenlohe's intention to supplant the objectionable members of the imperial and Prussian cabinets before commencing work.

Virtually nothing can be done before the Christmas recess, but on the opening of the reichstag the anti-revolutionary bill and the budget will be disposed of, after which the reichstag will consider a number of important measures.

Emperor William during the week joined a hunting party at Grunewald, on the lake and in the forest of the same name. His majesty dined twice with Prince Hohenlohe and gave audience to Count Botho Zu Eulenberg and the Count Philip Zu Eulenberg, German ambassador to Vienna.

Prince Bismarck is suffering from acute neuralgia.

The result of the recent elections in the United States is generally commented upon in Germany. The Vossische Zeitung and the National Zeitung attribute the Democratic defeat to the "vacillating and unsatisfactory policy of congress and to broken party pledges."

The opinion is generally expressed that the defeat does not mean a change in American tariffs.

WITH UNABATED FURY.

Cotton Fields and Forests Swept by Flames.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 12.—The forest fires in Arkansas, north of Memphis, are spreading with unabated fury, and with a continuance of the drouth that has prevailed in this locality for the last nine weeks there is no reason to expect a cessation of the fires until incalculable damage shall have been done. So far the fire has covered all the country from Marion to Jones Landing, a distance of twenty-five miles, which is travelled in four days. The burned territory is about five miles wide. Fortunately, the territory is thinly settled and cultivated only in spots. The Payne and Green plantations have been denuded of all fences and outbuildings. Standing corn and cotton have been swept away and fields left open to stock. In Shelby, Obion and Tipton counties, Tenn., there are other fires which threaten destruction to the hamlets which stand in their way, and the bridges of the Caesapeake, Ohio & Southwestern railway are also in danger. In Arkansas also the Little Rock & Memphis road is threatened.

A special from Ripley, Tenn., to the Commercial says the people yesterday prayed for rain to check the furious fires that are raging in that section. The country eight miles west of Ripley is a mass of flames. The cotton fields and corn fields are being destroyed, with but little chance of checking the fire. Nearly every creek is dry and water cannot be had to assist in fighting the fire.

A dispatch from Greenville, Miss., says a train load of cotton on the Deer creek branch of the Georgia Pacific road caught fire from the blazing forest Saturday and was consumed. No lives were lost.

A report comes from Nut Bush, Tenn., late to-night that fire has broken out in that section and is sweeping everything before it. The fire was started by a negro woman, who sought to burn a rattlesnake to death by piling boards and weeds on the reptile and setting a match to it. The flames at last reports had swept over several cotton fields.

DAMASCUS BLADES.

A Pleasant Account of the Method of Tempering.

Advices received from Professor von Eulenspiegel and party state that in delving among the ruins of ancient Tyre there has been unearthed what seems to have been the workshop of an ancient armorer or "waffenschmidt," with a quantity of sword blades in different stages of manufacture, though badly corroded. A copper cylinder with a close fitting top was found among a pile of dry rotted wood, evidently the remains of an iron chest, the brass nails and copper bands of which had retained their original form. This cylinder contained a parchment inscribed in ancient Syriac characters and in a fair state of preservation. The professor, after months of close study, has pronounced it an extraordinary discovery—one calculated to throw much light upon the heretofore mysteries of the ancient craft of weapon making, giving in detail the methods followed in making the perfect Damascus blades.

The manner of tempering these blades when intended for a ruler or an officer of high rank was as follows: "Let the high dignitary furnish an Ethiop of fair fame and let him be bound down, shoulders upward, upon the block of the god Bal-hal, his arms fastened underneath with thongs; a strap of goatskin over his back and wound twice around the block; his feet close together, lashed to a dowel of wood, and his head and neck projecting over and beyond the end of the block. . . . . Then let the master workman, having clod hammered the blade to a smooth and thin edge, thrust it into the fire of cedar wood coals, in and out, the while reciting the prayer to the god Bal-hal, until the steel be of the color of the red of the rising sun when he comes up over the desert toward the east; and then with a quick motion pass the same, from the heel thereof to the point, six times through the most fleshy portion of the slave's back and thighs, when it shall have become the color of the purple of the king. Then, if with one swing and one stroke of the right arm of the master workman it sever the head of the slave from his body and display not nick nor crack along the edge, and the blade may be bent round about the body of a man and break not, it shall be accepted as a perfect weapon, sacred to the service of the god Bal-hal, and the owner thereof may thrust it into a scabbard of ass's skin, brazen with brass and hung to a girdle of camel's wool, dred in the royal purple."—Berlin Tageblatt.

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When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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CULTIVATION OF GENSENG.

A Plant Whose Root Is Much in Demand in China.

Much interest has of late been shown in ginseng. The high price the dried roots command coupled with the never failing demand for them, and the further fact that it is fast becoming extinct in a wild state, all combine to render the question of its cultivation a practical one, especially when we have an almost unlimited market to supply in the three hundred and fifty millions of inhabitants in China. The Ontario government in 1891 passed an act to prevent the extermination of ginseng, and according to this, except for the purpose of clearing or bringing land into cultivation, no person shall, between the first day of January and the first day in September of any year, cut, root up, gather or destroy ginseng, whenever such plant may be found growing in a wild or uncultivated state. The penalty for such contravention of the act is not less than $5 nod more than $20, together with costs. But in 1893 this act was further amended so that the purchase or sale of ginseng between the first day of January and the first day of September is a contravention of the ginseng act.

Ginseng may be found all over Ontario and Quebec, but it is especially thrifty in this part of the province. It delights in the rich, shady soil of hardwood forests, and usually makes its appearance about the middle of spring. It develops rapidly, and when fully expanded forms a most beautiful plant, although there is nothing striking in its small, white, inodorous flowers. A three year old plant is from eight to twelve inches high, according to location and soil and has from three to five leaves rising on long foot stalks from the top of the stem. Each leaf is composed of five leaflets, the largest forming the point of the leaf. The flower head is on a short stem rising from the axis of the leaves, and the bloom appears in July. The fruit, which ripens in September, is a scarlet berry one eighth of an inch in diameter, and has imbedded in its fleshy pulp three round, hard seeds.

After the first sharp frost of autumn all the plant above ground dies. The first step toward the cultivation of ginseng is in selecting a location for the beds. As the plant cannot endure the summer sunshine, it is essential that the beds be well shaded. If they are situated in open ground, light, moveable awnings may be placed over them, which should be removed at night, and during rainy or cloudy weather. The most favorable location, however, is in the forest, the natural home of the plant. A corner in an old, shady orchard would serve quite as well, and the writer has known ginseng to be grown with fair success in boxes placed under the shelves of a florist's greenhouse. The soil should be loamy, and enriched each spring with leaf mold, or other natural fertilizer. During the growing season the soil should be stirred occasionally, and kept free of weeds.

The amount of moisture required for the growth of ginseng is greater than is needed for ordinary field plants; and if the beds are located in a garden or field, where the earth's moisture is rapidly evaporated by the sun, the deficiency of water must be supplied. As ginseng seed is not readily obtained in our markets, and besides, requires a long time to germinate, the experience of those who are growing it in the United States favors the stocking of new beds with plants gathered from the forest. The transplanting of wild ginseng may begin in the spring, as soon as the plants have fully expanded. A plant four or five years old should produce a root weighing two ounces, which is large enough for market. The fresh root contains a large percent. of water, five pounds being usually required to make one pound of the perfectly dried root. The time to gather the roots is in autumn after the fruit has matured; and they should be dried in the sunshine or by moderate artificial heat. In China the genseng grows to perfection in the mountain forests, and it is characteristic of the root to assume the shape of the human figure, and a specimen of this shape sells at an enormous price. The Canadian plant bears a striking resemblance to the human figure, and the Chinese are always eager to procure that particular form, as they believe it possesses special medicinal virtues. There is no medicinal value attached to ginseng in this country, but in China, where the world's product of the plant is chiefly consumed, the most extravagant faith is placed in its power to heal. It is believed to hold a super-natural influence on the human system, curing all manner of ills, preventing plagues, and especially prolonging life to an extremely old age. During the ten years ending in 1891 there were shipped from American ports 3,888,200 pounds of dried roots, representing in value $7,774,000.

Tre steady demand for ginseng should encourage its cultivation, as there is money in it. At the present time ginseng is quoted at $3 to $4.50 a pound. There will always be a keen demand in China for all that can be raised in America, and at the price we have mentioned what will pay better than ginseng culture in Ontario? —London Free Press.

A WOMAN HATER.

He Had Reason to Repent Asking a Question About Eve.

There is a crusty old bachelor on Fourth street who is a confirmed woman hater and who never misses an opportunity of saying something sarcastic and disagreeable about the fair sex. But he met more than his match the other day in a plucky little woman, who, metaphorically speaking, wiped up the earth with him, much to the delight of his friends, who were greatly amused at his discomfiture, says the Louisville Post.

The old bachelor inquired why when Eve was manufactured of a spare rib a servant wasn't made at the same time to wait on her. The little woman responded promptly:

"Because Adam never read the newspapers until the sun got behind the palm trees, and then stretching, yawned out: 'Isn't supper most ready, my dear? Not he. He made the first fire and hung the kettle over it himself, I'll venture, and pulled the radishes, peeled the potatoes and did everything else he ought to do.

"He chopped the kindling, brought in the coal and did the chores himself, and he never brought home half a dozen friends to dinner when Eve hadn't any fresh pomegranates."

The little woman stopped a moment for breath, and then went on with renewed vigor:

"And Adam never stayed out until 12 o'clock at a political meeting hurrahing for some candidate and then scolding because poor Eve was sitting up and crying inside the gates. He never played billiards, rolled ten pins and drove fast horses, nor choked Eve with cigar smoke.

He never loafed around the corner groceries and saloons while Eve rocked little Cain's cradle at home. In short, he did not think she was especially created for the purpose of waiting on him, and was not under the impression that it disgraced a man to lighten his wife's cares a little. That's the reason Eve didn't need a hired girl, and with it the reason that her descendants do."

She drew another breath and was about to continue when the bachelor drew his hat down over his eyes and sneaked away amid the laughter of the crowd.

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THE WALLOWING WORLD.

With its customary hardihood the Vancouver World objects to our correction of its misquotation of the bluebook in regard to the Victoria and Vancouver customs returns. Those who looked at the figures quoted in the Times on Thursday will appreciate the richness of the following from Saturday's World:

The Times, in order to bolster up its case, makes the charge that we have "deliberately transposed the figures for Victoria and Vancouver for 1891 and 1892—those for 1893 being correct." This is a serious thing to do, and we resent it. We challenge that journal to controvert the accuracy of the figures as published by us last Tuesday. We repeat that any doubting the returns can satisfy themselves by a reference to the page above named. The Times has garbled and distorted them and is guilty of a grave offence. If it has any spark of honor, or even ordinary decency, left it will acknowledge the blunder it has made, otherwise it will have the contempt of all who now know the facts of the case.

This is said in face of the fact that we did "controvert the accuracy" of the figures as published by the World. Here is the way in which the latter quoted the returns for 1890-91:

	Exports.	Imports.	Duty.
Victoria	$ 511,509	$1,155,951	$261,064
Vancouver ..	2,779,373	3,545,044	928,678

Here is the way in which they are given in the trade and navigation tables:

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That is to say the World deliberately transposed the figures for Victoria and Vancouver—in order, we suppose, to find a foundation for its subsequent statement that "if they are correct as published Vancouver's supremacy as the commercial capital has been achieved much sooner than her citizens expected." We do not suppose for a moment that the World has honor or decency enough to admit that it has been detected in the disreputable and stupid trick of falsifying government returns for a purpose of its own—a trick made all the more shameful by its professed anxiety to keep the board of trade straight. It may not be amiss, however, to remind the World that it is overbold when it suggests that its readers should test the accuracy of its statements by looking into the bluebook for themselves; if they do so they will surely detect its falsehood. It is perhaps making too much of a trifle, but we feel obliged to give another example of the World's dishonesty. On Thursday the Times made the statement "that as a matter of fact Victoria did rank third in customs collections in the year 1891-92." With reference to this the World on Saturday said:

It would be impolite to use the only word which would be applicable to the verdant writer of this sentence. Again we give him the page from which we quoted, namely, 524, trade and navigation report, 1893, where we find Montreal's contribution, 1891, to be $9,068,883; Toronto, $4,076,927; Halifax, $1,407,603, and Victoria, $928,678, which in 1893 had fallen to $788,676.

The Times mentioned the year 1891-92, and the World seeks to controvert the statement by giving the figures for 1890-91. We need say no more.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Some "busy Tory" in this city has taken the trouble to invent and send east the following remarkable story: "It is freely hinted here that the troubles of the post office employes were precipitated by their so-called friends of the Liberal party, who foresaw what action a strike would produce, and saw a possibility of scoring a point in the game of politics, even if at the expense of their fellow citizens, who by the loss of their means of livelihood have been reduced to absolute penury." The man who penned that falsehood might surely put his imagination to better uses. The post office employes will probably give due attention to the fact that at least one local Tory is ready to misrepresent their actions for a partizan purpose.

We should like to be able to take the reinstatement of the post office clerks and carriers as a sign of grace on the part of the government, but, like Col. Prior, we are forced to feel sceptical by observation of the government's course. The surrender—if surrender it really is—came from a sense of expediency, and not from a desire to do justice. Having gone so far, the government will hardly dare now to withdraw its hand, and we may assume that the reinstatement of the men will be followed by the payment of the wages held back. That measure of justice we hope to see promptly conceded, while we quite recognize that a different course on the part of the government would be a fine thing for the Liberals from a party point of view.

THE MORALITY QUESTION.

To the Editor:—The action of the police commissioners, Mayor Teague and Magistrate McRae, referring to the city council an application to remove houses of ill-fame from View street was not what I would have expected from these gentlemen. Magistrate Macrae knows that the charge of the police was taken out of the hands of the council to meet such cases as this. He must know that men who rent houses to these women, who build brick blocks and rent the upper stories to these unfortunate women, and who have seats at the council board are not the kind of men to decide on the question of the social evil. It is not likely they are going to lose their large rents if they can help it. Besides, if the police commissioners like to use their power they can make it very uncomfortable for those aldermen who rent their property for these purposes, so that they have to be very careful with the police department. One thing the people don't understand is why the commissioners who moved the fast women from the houses on Broughton street cannot move them from View street. What is the nigger in the fence?

MORAL.

PERSONAL.

Geo. S. Dutcher, Vancouver, is in the city.

G. H. Lippett and wife, St. Louis, came to town last night.

F. C. Cotton, M.P.P., Vancouver, is registered at the Driard.

Capt. Hastings, of Fort Townsend, was in the city yesterday.

W. Bradley and wife, Sprague, Wash., are staying at Hotel Victoria.

W. G. Mackenzie leaves to-morrow on a business trip to the eastern cities.

J. M. Macpherson, Seattle, and Mrs. Young, Tacoma, are at Hotel Victoria.

R. S. Day returned from the Sound yesterday morning on the steamer Rosalie.

J. H. Brownlee returned home from the Sound on the Rosalie yesterday morning.

Capt. F. W. Gatter, Tacoma, and Capt. H. H. Lloyd, Seattle, are guests at the Oriental.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wylde returned to the city on Saturday to spend a few weeks with friends.

Mrs. Seabrooke and Miss Seabrooke leave on the Miowera for Honolulu to be gone for several months.

Deputy Sheriff Jones, of Arlington, Wm. and Miss Stella Jones, are in town and staying at the Oriental.

Mr. Semlin, M.P.P., leader of the Opposition in the Provincial legislature, is expected to arrive in town to-night.

W. F. Blight, who has played centre for the Victoria Lacrosse club for the past five or six years, left this morning for the east, via the Great Northern railway.

E. G. Anderson left for New York this morning. He goes there to accept a position with a large manufacturing concern and will make it his future home.

East Lillooet Election Case.

Judge Crease gave judgment herein this morning adjourning the trial until the 3rd day of December and refusing the respondents application for a change of venue from Victoria to Clinton. His Lordship held that sufficient special circumstances had not been made out to warrant a change of venue and besides on account of the vacancy caused by the death of the Chief Justice it might be impossible to get a judgment at Clinton. E. V. Bodwell and Hunter for the petitioner and Archer Martin for the respondent.

Cable News.

Cardinal Vaughan, accompanied by Rt. Rev. Thomas W. Wilkenson, Bishop of Hexham and Newcastle, was at Southwark yesterday at the consecration of the St. George's Cathedral which took place with unusual pomp and ceremony. Nearly all the Catholic bishops of the kingdom were present, including the Bishop of Leeds, Northampton, Portsmouth, Plymouth and Salford. Cardinal Vaughan preached the sermon and Rt. Rev. John Butt, Bishop of Southwark, conducted the services. Unusual interest was taken in the event by the Catholic church owing to the singular circumstances attending the consecration which took place after the cathedral had been used as a place of worship for fifty years. According to the inflexible law of the Catholic church, the cathedral could not be consecrated until free from debt which has just been accomplished. The church also has an interesting history, having been built on the spot where Lord George Gordon assembled his followers in 1780 to march to parliament to protest against any concessions to Catholics. On July 4, 1848, it was dedicated to St. George of England, high mass being celebrated on the occasion by Dr. Wiseman, who was attached to the cathedral for two years before being appointed the first archbishop of Westminster and the first English cardinal since the reformation.

TRAMP KILLED.

A Train Runs Into a Rock Slide Near Golden, B. C.

Golden, Nov. 9.—About daybreak this morning a westbound freight train ran into a rock slide between the first and second tunnels about two miles east of here. Engine No. 404 left the track, when a tramp who was riding between the box cars was killed. From a letter found upon the body it is supposed his name was Arthur Walsh and that he had relatives in Calgary.

WAS DELAYED BY THE FOG

Australian Liner Miowera Lay to at the Cape for Twenty-Four Hours.

Brought a Good Cargo of Freight—Tammany Methods in Hawaiian Election.

The Canadian-Australian liner Miowera arrived here at 8 o'clock this morning from Sydney, Suva and Honolulu. She was a day late, having been forced to lie to off Cape Flattery in a dense fog. She reached the Cape Saturday afternoon, but did not pass into the Straits until last night. She sailed from Sydney on Saturday, Oct. 20, at noon, called at Suva, Fiji, on the 26th, remaining there eight hours, reached Honolulu on the 3rd of November and made a stay of seven hours. Immediately after clearing Sydney Heads adverse weather was encountered, with strong head winds and heavy seas. These were carried most of the way to Honolulu, after which fine weather was experienced until Cape Flattery was reached on Saturday last. The following passengers arrived by the Miowera: L. L. Learmouth, S. L. Learmouth, Miss L. Cross, Miss P. Rhodes, C. W. Rhodes, W. Jordon, Mrs. Bullock and seven children, P. Rodocanache, R. Wilson, J. Gobel, Mr. and Mrs. Ettinger, J. N. Bemning, A. Lewis, J. Rochdale, R. W. Orkney and F. W. Smith.

The cargo for Victoria comprised 441 bunches and crates of bananas and pineapples, 150 carcases mutton, 16 crates rabbits, 100 crates treacle, 99 bags of coffee, etc. For Vancouver there are 2091 packages comprising 874 bales of wool for Boston, 48 bales sheepskins and 294 ingots of tin for San Francisco, 15 packages of meats, etc., for inland points and 800 packages fruit, meat, etc., for Vancouver. Extensive alterations and improvements have been made to this vessel since she was last here. The after holds have been insulated and a new and complete freezing plant has been added, the accommodation being for 11,000 carcases of mutton, a trial shipment of which is being made this voyage. It is fully anticipated that when proper cold storage is erected at the various points of call, this branch of the cargo will materially increase. All shipments will have special care and attention, the ship carrying a special refrigerating engineer for that purpose. The second class accommodation has also been entirely renewed, a comfortable saloon having been erected and cabins equal to those of the first class cabin have also been put up. The Miowera is under the command of James Stott, and the other officers are J. W. Laurance, chief officer; C. N. Hay, second officer; F. A. Hemming, third officer; M. B. Sayer, fourth officer; J. Brown, chief engineer; T. B. Young, purser; J. Davies, surgeon, and F. Whittingham, head steward.

C. W. Rhodes, who went down to Honolulu on the Arawa, returned home accompanied by his sister, Miss P. Rhodes, who spent seven or eight months at the Hawaiian capital. Mr. Rhodes laughed when asked about the election, and pronounced it one of the most one-sided affairs he ever saw. "Why," said he, "when the registration was on a man had to pledge himself to support annexation or he was not permitted to go on the list. Honolulu is as quiet and peaceful as a village, and business goes on as usual."

A Honolulu press dispatch of Nov. 3 has the following as to the election: "The first election of the new republic was a failure from a political point of view. On this, the principal island, there was only one man who ran against the government ticket, and he was defeated. Every candidate was pledged to support nothing but annexation, to the exclusion of everything else. This was the platform of the American Union party, which absolutely refused to consider anyone for either senator or representative who would not declare himself as a true blue annexationist. Now that the election is over, the public mind is wondering when the two houses will meet for their first session. No definite date has been set yet, but it is hardly likely that the legislature will be called together until after January 1."

Sergeant Forbes, of the Sydney police, had no trouble at Honolulu with Frederick Bollman, the embezzler. The latter made no effort to secure his freedom there, and the Honolulu police were prepared to assist rather than deter the sergeant in carrying out his duty. When the Arawa left for the south the officer and prisoner were aboard and the latter has no doubt arrived and been arraigned before this at Sydney.

The ship brought no late advices from Samoa, which was in a state of turmoil when the last San Francisco steamer left there. Samoa is out of the Miowera's course, and the only way she could get news would be from trading vessels or regular liners reaching some of her ports of call.

The United Press correspondent at Honolulu writing on Nov. 3, says:

The election was held Oct. 20th for senators and representatives for the legislature. On this island, all the candidates of the American Union party were elected. The single opposition candidate failed of election.

On the other islands the candidates elected are nearly all active supporters of the republic. It is believed that all the senators strongly support annexation, notwithstanding a disposition of some of the planters to advocate continued independence of the republic in order to be free to import Asiatic contract labor.

Henry P. Baldwin of Maui stands at the head of the planters, and is a leader in legislation. He has come out strongly for annexation, notwithstanding his desire as a planter for cheap labor. He believes that if annexation abolishes the contract labor system, it will more than compensate in other ways. He thinks that there are too many Japanese in the country now—that Portuguese should be introduced instead—that the plan of co-operative planting, or share system, may succeed.

An autograph letter of Queen Victoria recognizing the republic of Hawaii, was received on the 26th of October by H. B. M. Commissioner Hawes. Owing to the absence of President Dole on Hawaii, it has not been presented.

An autograph letter of the Czar of Russia, recognizing the republic, was received to-day.

The birthday of the Emperor of Japan is enthusiastically observed here by his subjects to-day. A procession of Japs paraded the streets. The Chinese were much irritated, and notified the police, that there would be a fight upon the slightest display of insolence by the Japanese. There was no trouble.

President Dole is inspecting crown and government lands on the Island of Hawaii. He is preparing new homestead laws for the coming legislature.

The British steamer Naushan arrived October 28th with 1000 Japanese laborers. Several days previous the Japanese sailors mutinied and were supported by the passengers. A court martial is in progress upon the mutineers, held by the British commissioner.

The Japanese in Hawaii have raised $6000 for the Red Cross Society attending the Japanese armies.

The French cruiser Duguay-Trouin arrived this morning, 27 days from Callao, en route to Yokohama.

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FOOTBALL.

VICTORIA DEFEATED.

At Vancouver on Saturday, the Victoria Rugby team was defeated by the Vancouver team by a goal and a try to nil. The Victoria team was not as strong as it might have been, several of the best men being unable to play. They put up a good game, however, and Vancouver had to work hard for the victory. Neither side scored in the first half, although Victoria had to make several safety touches, the Vancouver forwards playing a strong game. Quigley made the first try for Vancouver, leaping right over Pettigrew, Victoria's full back. This was not improved but a little later a try by Senter was converted into a goal. Ward and Whyte made some good runs for Victoria, but were unable to get through the Vancouver lines.

PENNSYLVANIA WINS.

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 12.—The interstate fair grounds at Trenton were the scene on Saturday of one of the greatest football battles that has ever been fought on American soil, in which the champion tigers of Princeton, after a fierce struggle, succumbed to the sticky eleven of the University of Pennsylvania, with a final score of 12 to 0. The day was a perfect one for football, the air just being sharp and cool enough to inspire the players without chilling the spectators, of which 20,000 were present.

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Law Intelligence.

Mr. Justice Crease in the Supreme Court chambers this morning heard the following applications:

Peters v. Dukes—Order for an account in a mortgage action of the amount due the plaintiff for principal and interest. Ward (Pooley and Luxton) for the plaintiff.

Dumbleton v. Marvin—Application by the plaintiffs that Charles Hayward's claim for funeral expenses be paid out of the moneys in court belonging to the Marvin estate. Order made, Ward (Pooley & Luxton) for the plaintiffs and Crease (Bodwell & Irving) for the defendant.

Crossdale v. Hill—McPhillips for the defendants, applied for leave to set down for hearing the motion for a new trial for the Divisional Court to be held on the 22nd inst. Hunter contra. Order made, costs to plaintiff in any event.

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—A few more chrysanthemums at four for a dollar at Higgins'. *

—Cutlery, plated goods, China ornaments, etc., in abundance at Weiler's *

—The rehearsal of "The Meeting of Nations" are good indications that the production will be a great success.

—The second monthly social of Rebekahs and Columbias will be held on Wednesday evening after the close of lodge.

—The B. C. Board of Trade council meets Tuesday morning at 10:45. An hour later the advertising committee will hold their meeting.

—Preliminary civil service examinations are to be held at the city hall to-morrow. On Wednesday the qualifying examinations will be held. Rev. Dr. Campbell is the examiner.

—The fire department was called out Saturday night to the Oriental hotel. A reflected blaze from a cheerful fire caused a passerby to turn in an alarm in mistake.

—At the Christ Church Cathedral concert Thursday night there will be a tombola. The 50 cents admission entitles the holder of a ticket to a chance on articles ranging in value from $6 to 10 cents. All prizes.

—Proprietor Escalet of the Victoria Hotel, was presented by the Governor-General with a diamond pin. Mr. Escalet prepared the luncheon for the vice-regal party on the train between Victoria and Nanaimo.

—The members of the Y. P. S. of C. E. of First Presbyterian church will give a reception to the members of the Y. M. C. A. on Wednesday evening. Subscribers and members of the association are invited to be present.

—Josephine Elizabeth Eastman has been granted a divorce in the Seattle courts from William A. Eastman, her husband. Mrs. Eastman, again Miss Gitts by permission of the courts, was once a resident of Victoria.

—Before the fall you could get along somehow without a wrap, but now that the season is advanced a waterproof, Cape, ulster or jacket is a necessity. To-day you can get a very beautiful garment for very little money at Partridge's Lansdowne house, 86 Yates street, as he is going out of this line. He needs the room for his millinery department. *

—The fastidious Englishman thinks of Poole when he decides that he wants a new suit of clothes. Every well-dressed Englishwoman asks for Priestley's dress fabrics. The higher grades are partly wool and partly silk, and the effect of this combination is exceedingly beautiful. There is at once a richness and softness and delicacy which appeal to every taste. These goods are sold by first-class dealers. The trade mark is "The Varnished Board," round which the cloth is rolled. Nothing else is Priestley's.

—The steam schooner Thistle, Captain W. Langley master, sailed Sunday morning for Banks Island to catch halibut. The steamer Isabel has been fitted up as a floating station with quarters for men and for the storing away of the catch. Captain Anderson will be in charge of the fishing operations and will have under him 20 fishermen and 13 boats. The Thistle will return with the catch and bring out supplies when necessary. The Boston market will receive most of the fish. The Victoria Fishing and Trading Company, recently organized, is sending out the expedition.

—From present indications there is going to be a revival of lively times in the steamboat business in the northwest. The Oregon Railway and Navigation company, which deserted the Sound and British Columbia districts a few years ago, is coming back to obtain a share of the increased business. The George W. Elder is now scheduled to make one trip a month between British Columbia ports and San Francisco, and two trips a month between Portland and San Francisco. The Portland, formerly the Haytian Republic, has been recommissioned and the company also expect to find something for their other boats to do. The Portland was purchased by the O. R. & N. Company for $16,000.

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—Teeth extracted, 50c. each. Dr. A. Humber, 93 1-2 Douglas street. *

—Acme lodge, I. O. O. F., celebrate their third anniversary this evening.

—To-morrow (Tuesday) the Pheasant goes into dry dock for a general overhauling.

—Why cough, while Bronchial Balsam cures coughs and can be obtained at Bowes' drug store, 27 Johnson street? *

—A fine line of razor straps just arrived at Fox's, 78 Government street. Come and learn how to strop your razor. *

—The ladies of Emmanuel Baptist church are preparing for a sale of work and Thanksgiving tea on Thanksgiving day.

—Special facilities for making blank books and doing extra claf and other superior binding at R. T. Williams & Co.'s, 28 Broad street. *

—The ball committee in connection with the governor-general's visit will meet at the city hall at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

—It is a fact that the B. & H. burners give th egreatest satisfaction. They are fitted to the "new line" of lamps just to hand. Weiler Bros. *

—The steamer Yosemite did not arrive from New Westminster until yesterday afternoon, having been delayed in the river by fog. She left on time last night.

—A meeting of the directors of Jubilee hospital will be held this evening at Yates & Jay's office. Monthly report and other important business will be considered.

—The executive committee of the Victoria Conservative Association will endeavor to hold a meeting this evening. It is called for 8 o'clock at the Adelphi building.

—There will be a concert at St. James Hall, James Bay, to-morrow evening. Among the performers will be Miss Smith, late of Toronto College of Music, and W. Ralph Higgins.

—The time schedule of the steamer Delta, plying between Victoria, Whatcom and the Islands, has been changed. The Delta arrives at 7 Saturday morning and leaves at 2:30 in the afternoon.

—The steamship City of Puebla has the following passengers for Victoria on board: Rev. H. Eummelen, H. E. Wicker, A. P. Millar and wife, P. D. McKenzie, Mrs. M. Christensen, Miss N. Powell.

—The silver cup won by the firemen for the best decorated building during the exhibition has been formally presented to Chief Deasy and is on exhibition in his office. It is the gift of Challoner & Mitchell.

—Horatio Frederick Barnswell, eldest son of James Barnswell, of Johnson street, died yesterday, having been ill but a very few days. He was a native of Victoria, aged 22 years. The funeral will take place to-morrow at 2:30.

—The Ladies' Aid of St. Saviour's church, Victoria West, will give a bazaar and concert at Faisall's hall on the afternoon and evening of Wednesday, Nov. 28.—. The bazaar will commence at 3 p.m. and the concert at 8 p.m. The ladies are actively preparing for the affair.

—The Clement Rowlands Concert company appear at Nanaimo this evening. It will be the first occasion offered to the people of Nanaimo to hear the Rowlands and many of the company, and there will no doubt be a big crowd present. The company left for Nanaimo this morning.

—Satisfactory reports were received at the meeting of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society on Saturday evening from the committees who had charge of the Hallowe'en concert. Arrangements are now being made for the annual banquet to be held on St. Andrew's day, November 30th.

—There was a very large attendance at the funeral of the late John B. Carmichael, which took place yesterday. The cortage started from Castle hall, Broad street, and proceeded to Christ Church cathedral, where services were conducted by Rev. Canon Beanlands. Canon Beanlands also conducted services at the grave. The members of Uniform Rank and the various lodges of the K. of P. attended the funeral in a body. The casket was covered with floral offerings. The K. of P. helmet and sword belonging to deceased were also placed on the casket. The following gentlemen acted as pall bearers: Messrs. F. G. White, W. Christie, S. L. Redgrave, J. E. Wilson, E. E. Blackwood and J. S. Fullerton.

—Some of the Kootenay papers go to extremes in their desperation to fill their columns with news for their readers, but it has been left to the Slocan Times to beat the record. That paper either told a deliberate falsehood in its last issue or the editor allowed himself to be "stuffed." It says that a reporter of this paper had interviewed Mr. Alexander Sproat, of New Denver, and upon being told by that gentleman that New Denver was seven miles from New Westminster published the answer as a fact. It is needless to say that there is no truth in the item. In the first place Kootenay interviews are somewhat of a chestnut now, and as this paper has not room for "boom" interviews, Mr. Sproat was not honored by a visit from a Times

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representative. It might have been that fact that hurt his feelings.

—The Mytery left at 11.30 last night for the northern coast.

—The Single Tax club is arranging for a winter series of lectures.

—The Vancouver brought a scow load of coal in from Nanaimo yesterday.

—Acme lodge of Odd Fellows gives a concert and dance in K. of P. hall tonight.

—The funeral of the late Henry Harms took place yesterday morning from the Roman Catholic cathedral, Rev. Father Laterme officiating.

—Popular "Pete" Blight, the lacrosse player, left this morning for Bridgeport, Conn., to accept a lucrative position there. Mr. Blight's many friends wish him success in his new sphere.

—No further news has been received from Ottawa regarding the post office employes. They are all hard at work, and expect at the end of the month to receive the back provisional allowances.

—A new steering wheel and pilot house are being fitted on the Costa Rica. Water was run into the new boilers for the first time to-day. Forty men are engaged working on her. The old boilers taken out will be shipped to San Francisco.

—Tickets for the "Meeting of the Nations" costume concert on Wednesday night in A. O. U. W. hall are selling rapidly. Tickets may be had at the Protestant Orphans' home, from Father Nicolaye, the Sisters of St. Ann's convent and the leading stores of the city. Fifty cents buy a ticket.

—The firemen all wear helmets at fires. The helmets are carried with the apparatus This rule has recently come into force. The police have been instructed to keep out of buildings all persons not wearing helmets. Inquisitive people have caused the firemen great trouble latly by running into burning buildings.

—This evening the members of Milton lodge, Sons of St. George, has been requested to attend in full force for to discuss various matters to be placed before them. The social committee will also present their report in relation to an entertainment shortly to be given to members and their friends.

—The British bark Benmore, Captain John Scott, arrived at Port Adelaide, Australia, about a month ago with a cargo of lumber from British Columbia. In a letter to a friend in this city Captain Scott says he made the fastest trip on record, only 58 days being occupied. The Benmore made an unusually fast trip from England to Victoria. She is now loading wheat for the United Kingdom.

Donations from the following, received between October 1st and November 10th at the W. C. T. U. home, are acknowledged with thanks: Mrs. Teague, Mrs. W. Armstrong, Metropolitan Methodist church, Mrs. Spencer, a friend, Mrs. Crowther, Mrs. Hart, Methodist Missionary Auxiliary, Mrs. Cleaver, Miss S. McGregor. Apples and women's clothing are very much needed.

—Officers were installed as follows at the last meeting of Perseverance Lodge, I. O. G. T.: C. T., J. D. Townsend; V. T, Miss J. M. Walsh; S. J. T., Dr. Lewis Hall; R. S., Miss M. Bickersley; A. S., M. E. Bradley; F. S., J. T. Williams; T., Miss L. Parsons; M., W. D. Scoville; D. M., Miss A. Bickersley; G., Miss A. J. Scoville; Chan., Miss A. Graham; P. C. T., J. W. Sinclair; and reporter, William Cormick

—Sam Greer is in town. Sam has come to do what he can on his own behalf in getting the question of his claim to certain lands on English bay settled at the present session of the legislature. This property has been giving Greer a great deal of trouble. He told a Times man he thought things looked brighter for him now than they had for some time. Greer has "put in" twelve winters trying to get affairs fixed up.

—The ladies of the congregation of St. Andrew's Roman Catholic Cathedral will open their bazaar at Institute Hall to-morrow. Lunch will be served from 12 to 2 o'clock, there will be high tea from 6 to 7:30 o'clock, and at 8 o'clock the concert will commence. The ladies are hard at work to-day decorating the hall and arranging the booths. They have made a large number of things artistic and useful and these added to the articles donated make a stock sufficient to start a store. The musical and literary programme for the evening is going to be particularly good.

—Professor Seymour, a lecturer of more or less repute, was billed for a lecture in Institute hall on Saturday night, but at the suggestion of Chief of Police Sheppard it did not come off. The chief got hold of some of the professor's literature and pronounced it obscene. There was only an audience of about thirty when the police declared the lecture off, and without any demonstration from any one the crowd left the hall, the lights were put out and the professor sought his quarters. It is not known whether he will attempt to deliver his lecture without distributing any of the objectionable literature.

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SEWERAGE COMMISSIONERS.

Inspector Bragg Says No One Is To Blame for the Wilkerson Accident.

The sewerage commissioners met this morning with a full board present and B. W. Pearse in the chair.

Inspector Edward H. Bragg made a report on the complaint of James Wilkerson, made through his solicitor, Archer Martin, with regard to injuries sustained by falling into an open sewer at the corner of Douglas and Pembroke streets. The inspector reported that the sewer was well guarded, and that on one side was a small hill of rock and on the other an embankment, over either of which one would have to climb to get to the sewer. There were barricades around as well, and the inspector reports that he does not believe any one to blame for the accident. The report was received and filed.

It was decided to instruct the city engineer to report to the commissioners the amount and value of the pipes which have been used by the sewerage commissioners, in order that the amount so spent may be repaid to the city.

A number of accounts were passed and vouchers signed and the commissioners adjourned.

For Sale—30 lots, situate on Cowan and Richmond avenues, Bank, Amphion and Hutton streets, in the healthiest part of the city; price $200 to $275; terms, five dollars down and five dollars per month, without interest. This is a rare chance whereby anyone may secure a building site for a small monthly payment. Apply to Morrow, Holland & Co., Times Building, Broad Street.

Jamieson's Christmas Cards Arrived And On View To-Night.

SOME QUEER REGULATIONS.

How the American Officials Handle Chinese Immigrants and Emigrants.

Eleven Chinamen from the south of China, bound for Portland, came in Saturday morning on the steamer George W. Elder from Vancouver, B. C., having been landed at the latter place from the steamer Empress of India, says yesterday's Post-Intelligencer. Upon the arrival of the coolies here an inspector was placed on board the steamer to keep them from landing, and the work of ascertaining their right to land will be left to the Portland officials.

Last evening one hundred Chinamen, with a carload of furniture fearfully and wonderfully made, arrived in the city from Portland. They, with their effects, are on their way to China for an extended visit, but they declare their intention of returning to America. Upon their arrival at Port Townsend some trouble is expected, for it is believed that the collector of customs there will demand the surrender of their certificates, the action being in line with a recent order of the secretary of the treasury. This prevents dishonesty and upon the return of the Mongolians they will have to prove they are merchants before being allowed to land. Some time since a merchant from Portland decided that he wanted to go to Victoria, and when he arrived at Port Townsend and his certificate was demanded before being permitted to leave, he refused to give it up, and, the customs officials being obdurate, he grew excited and declared:

"Whassa malla? Tink me crazy? Go to h—l; me no go to Victolia. You no foolie me; me stay home. Sabe?" And fearing that he would be unable to return to the coveted land without his certificate, he took the next steamer for Portland, giving up his Victoria trip.

Chong and Chuene, two Chinamen just released from the penitentiary at McNeil's Island, where they completed two years' sentences for smuggling opium, were landed in the county jail yesterday, charged with being illegally in the United States. The celestials were in prison at the time the recent deportation law went into effect and of course had no chance to register. As soon as their terms were completed and they walked into the open air they stepped into the clutches of Inspector Schuyler, who demanded their certificates. The Chinamen were given a hearing yesterday before United States Commissioner Spriggs and sent to jail until their cases can be disposed of by Judge Hanford.

The statute provides that a Chinaman convicted of an infamous crime shall be deported. If the two prisoners are sent to their native land they will probably be accompanied by Ah Slam and his companion, recently arrested at Port Townsend and now in the county jail awaiting deportation.

THE COSMOPOLITAN MAGAZINE.

The October number of the Cosmopolitan Magazine is an excellent one. Canadians will be especially interested in a paper on the "Great British Northwest Territory," by Lee Merriwether, who commences by an allusion to the erroneous ideas of Canada entertained by many of his own countrymen to the south of the line. The article is written in a highly appreciative vein ,and is profusely illustrated. "Portraits of Women" is a pleasing chapter on one branch of the printer's art, by William A. Coffin, accompanied by some reproductions of charming portraits. "The Art Schools of America" and "The Public Library Movement" ably treat of two important movements in the educational line. In "The Chiefs of the American Press" James Creelman sketches Bennett, Dana and Pulitzer. In "Public Control of Urban Transit," Sylvester Barter deals with a live subject. These are only a portion of the good things provided in this number, which is a marvel of cheapness at the price of 15 cents—or $1.50 by the year.

BRITISH FREE TRADE.

To the Editor:—The adage of a drowning man catching at a straw seems to be applicable to the government press. Their eagerness to clutch at any straw that catches their eye would lead one to believe they were afraid of going under in the storm that is rising on the political sea.

The last straw caught at is in the shape of a Mr. Lukes, who has shut up shop, and given as a reason that there is too much competition. This, of course, is sufficient to furnish the Colonist and its kind with materials for an editorial on the disastrous policy of free trade followed by the old country. Agricultural depression is also set down to the same cause. In fact anything that they can glean from the old country press, or manufacture to suit their plan of argument is published with a blast of trumpets as if they had succeeded in putting a stop to all further argument. What is the cause of the agricultural depression in England? Free trade, say the government organs. To lay the cause of agricultural depression in England to free trade only goes to show the ignorance and stupidity of the writer and only makes him appear a greater fool than if he had left free trade out of his definition. To all such I would recommend a residence of a few months in this "hell hole of free trade," as they are so fond of picturing it to their readers, as a school in which to learn a lesson and become better acquainted with their subject before attempting to instruct an intelligent community with their parrot glib-glab learnt by heart without knowing the meaning of their chatter. Before they attempt to account for agricultural depression in England let them first study the land laws, and then, perhaps, they may pass on to the subject of cause and effect, with a better chance of arriving at the truth. How is it that the government press of this country are so fond of pointing to the old country and its free trade policy as something to be shunned? Is it because the old country has made such a failure? How is it they have taken up the cudgels in behalf of the English farmer and miller? Is it with a pure desire to ameliorate the sufferings of the down-trodden and enslaved rural population of England that all the solicitude is shown in their behalf? If so I am afraid the recipients do not sufficiently appreciate their efforts, and I have too much respect for British common sense to believe they will ever let go the substance of free trade to catch at the shadow of protection. But it is not on behalf of the British farmer that all this solicitude is shown; it is on behalf of a gang of monopolists who have the government party by the throat, and like the parrot they have to say what they are taught, for they know no better. Let the Colonist first relieve the sufferings of the farmers of Manitoba and the Northwest before it turns its attention to England, whose farmers can well afford to dispense with the aid of the Colonist or any of its kind. Any man who points to free trade as the cause of agricultural depression in England is not only devoid of common sense but parades his ignorance upon a subject he had better left alone.

CLODHOPPER.

POSTOFFICE BOXES.

To the Editor:—It is said that the Dominion government will not allow extra wages to postoffice employees in British Columbia, although it is admitted that living of certain kinds is dearer here than in the east. Why the Dominion government do not recognize this fact is quite in keeping with their usual tactics as applied to Victoria. I can assure you they don't fail to take advantage of the more expensive rates here when applied to themselves. As an example the rent of postoffice boxes is in Victoria over double what it is in any other part of the Dominion, and far higher than the rates charged on the Mainland, although the amount of business done here is greater, and if in keeping with everything else the rates should be at least no higher than those charged for boxes in any place in the Dominion.

MANUFACTURER.

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Women Learning to Shave and Cut Hair, and They Are Proficient.

On the second floor of 394 Wabash avenue A. B. Moler's school for barbers has full sway. Mr. Moler modestly confesses to being the sole originator and founder of the first barber schools in America. Since February 15 last, when he opened his first school in Chicago, he has established branches in New York city, Cincinnati, St. Louis and Minneapolis, and is now admitting ladies into his classes. He already has three applicants in that department. His brown eyed wife, who has recently learned her husband's trade, will instruct the women.

"Lady barbers are decidedly in demand," insisted the discoverer of regular training schools for his craft. "She may learn in my classes, while it is decidedly difficult for her to do so, as men have formerly done, by serving an apprenticeship. Only the cheaper establishments care to bother with the raw material, and a woman doesn't like to begin in one of the five-cent shops. When she has completed the course here she is sure of a position, and gets the same salary as a man.

"Lady barbers who own their places of business now have great difficulty in securing competent assistants of their own sex. There is even talk at present of a stock company being formed to open a large barber shop in the centre of the city, fitted up in the best style and presided over by as many as forty girls. The women students here will pay the same tuition fee as the men—$25 for the course, which generally takes about eight weeks. By that time she will be a complete barber. The only girl I ever taught became decidedly proficient in that length of time, but she left for California to start a shop of her own. She learned much easier than the average man."

Chicago boasts at present about 25 female artists in this line, several of them owning their own establishments, while others work side by side with their husbands. Cottage Grove avenue, between Thirty-first and Thirty-ninth streets, is especially fortunate in this direction, as three shops grace that particular locality. At 45 Thirty-first street Mrs. M. E. Willard has held her own for twelve years, and at present has two assistants, the only masculine attache of the place being the ebony-faced young wielder of the whisk broom. One of these women stoutly rejected the idea of any barber learning his trade in only eight weeks, and was equally confident that women in the trade were far superior to men.

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An alleged murderer is now awaiting trial in St. Lawrence jail who is one of the heirs to a large amount of money, estimated at $7,000,000. Frank M. Hunt is the prisoner. He is charged with complicity in the Crosby murder at Merrimac on August 19. One of his alleged pals, Frank Little, asserts that Hunt held the weapon which did the real work.

Hunt, Frank Little and a man named Robinson went to Crosby's house, three miles from this city, and forced an entrance. When Crosby rushed for a shot gun he was struck by a bullet in the groin and died within an hour. Hunt's trial takes place this week. He finds plenty of lawyers who will take his case and collect his millions. Hunt is only 18, and is the only son of Henry Hunt, jr., of this city. The latter is the great grandson of Moses Cooke, who was one of the three brothers, the other two being Moses E. Cooke and Captain Ebenezer Cooke, who owned the brig Hornet, which was seized by the French government and pressed into service during the French revolution.

The brig had a cargo of sugar, which was confiscated, and the crew were made prisoners. After the revolution, during which many other vessels were seized, demands were made upon the French government for compensation. A commission finally named the sum to be paid by the French government, but for 93 years the money has been on interest in the United States government's hands. It is now estimated to amount to $7,000,000.

Two attempts have been made to settle the claims, and Congressman Cogswell at the last session of congress had the bill to settle the claims passed in the house, but in the senate it was referred to a committee, in whose hands it has since laid.

Of the descendants of Moses Cooke, who was a third owner of the brig, only three are now living. Hunt was one of these direct descendants, his mother being the granddaughter of Moses Cooke. Hunt has been roaming about the world for the past five years. He was not known to be an heir until this week, when his connection with the Cooke family was discovered. General Cogswell, representative to congress from this district, will be asked again to demand the money from the government that Hunt may better fight the charge which now hangs over his head. No proof is lacking to establish the proof of his descent from the former owner of the Hornet.

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12 16	3 01	MT. TOLMIE	3	8 31	3 14
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10 27	1 12	QUAMICHAN	27	10 19	5 02
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9 56	12 41	CHEMAINUS	34	10 50	5 33
9 36	12 21	SOUTH WELLINGTON	39	11 10	5 53
9 26	12 11	WELLINGTON	41	11 20	6 03
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VISIT THE INDIANS.

Addresses Presented to the Governor-General by the Indians of the Mainland.

Lady Aberdeen Delivers an Address on the National Council of Women.

The Vice-Regal party spent a busy day in Vancouver on Saturday. They visited the Indian village in the morning and in the afternoon Lady Aberdeen addressed a meeting of ladies. In the evening there was a reception at the Vancouver Hotel.

The visit to the Indian mission was particularly interesting, the chiefs of many of the neighboring tribes being present to assist in the reception. The steamer that took the party from Vancouver was met some way from the shore by a gaily decorated canoe, and in this their excellencies continued their way to the mission. The Indian band met them at the landing and escorted them to an arch that had been erected. Here the following address from the mission Indians was presented.

To His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir John Campbell Hamilton Gordon; Viscount Formartine; Lord Haddo, Methlic, Tarvis and Kellie; Viscount Gordon of Aberdeen; Baronet of Nova Scotia; Earl of Aberdeen, P. C. LL., D., etc., etc., Governor-General of the Dominion of Canada and Vice-Admiral of the same.

May it Please Your Excellency:

We, the Indians of the Burrard Inlet Mission heartily welcome you to our village and are glad of the opportunity to express through you our loyalty to the Great Mother beyond the sea, whose worthy representative you are. Her laws we obey because they are founded on justice to all people living under the British flag.

We have heard of Your Excellency and your noble spouse through our Fathers in the church, whom we have learned to revere, and from the papers, the white man's news tellers, which we long since learned to appreciate.

Before the great town opposite was located, our Mission shone white beneath the rays of the summer sun on this northern shore of what is now known throughout the world as the magnificent harbor of Vancouver.

We have seen its growth without jealousy for we learned long ago from the pious and self-sacrificing missionaries, who taught us to worship the Triune God, to love what is noble in the white man's character.

We, as the descendants of the aborignal settlers in British Columbia, also wish to welcome Your Excellency and the Countess of Aberdeen because of the many good deeds you have done, the interest you take in the making better your fellow men, and the worthy example you set in your own lives.

We desire to call Your Excellency's attention to the following facts: When Governor Douglas represented Her Majesty in this colony we of this Mission were given a trail of land containing 250 acres. Some sixteen years ago a survey was made by the Dominion government allowing only about 38 acres. We claim that we are entitled to the full amount, 250 acres, as portioned to us by Governor Douglas. We trust that, knowing Your Excellency's kind heart, you will make enquiries into the matter and see justice done to us, the remnants of the great race that first peopled this province.

Enclosed with this address is a copy of a circular received from the Indian agent and which we consider very unjust. We would ask Your Excellency to make investigation and to assist in restoring to us our rights and privileges.

Again assuring Your Excellency of our unswerving loyalty and wishing you, Lady Aberdeen, and your interesting family long life and earthly and spiritual happiness, we are, on behalf of the Indians of the Barrard Inlet Mission,

Signed by Chiefs,
GEORGE and HARRY.

After thanking the Indians for the reception and address the Governor-General said: "Three years ago when in Vancouver, I desired to visit this place. We often listen with pleasure to your chapel bell as its sounds reach us across the water, and I am pleased to learn that you make good use of the chapel every day. I am also glad to learn that when your priest is from home that services are conducted by your chief. That is the course I have adopted at home where I live. When our minister is away I conduct the services myself. One of the advantages of early morning service is that the people are compelled to rise early in the morning. When I was at college we had to attend chapel at 8 o'clock, an hour many of us thought early. But I understand your hour here is much earlier than that. I was greatly struck with the reference made in the address to the cultivation of lands and the prosperous city of Vancouver. I hope that as there is a good market there for all the commodities you can grow that you will extend the cultivation of your fields and prosecute with industry and zeal the other avocations in which you are engaged. With reference to the requests made in the address I assure you I am pleased with the language employed. I am not familiar as yet with all the facts referred to, but I will take the earliest opportunity for doing so by communicating with the regular departments, where investigations will be made and reported thereon in due course. Lady Aberdeen and myself are very pleased with the decorations you have made for our reception, and to see so many of you present. I am sure Mr. Devlin will always be glad to listen to your representations and will do all in his power to aid you in every way. I am aware that a large number are at present absent in the woods logging, or in the fields digging potatoes and doing other work. We are pleased with the music and the attractive appearance of the band. Lastly, on behalf of our great mother, Queen Victoria, Lady Aberdeen, myself and family, let me express the hope that the matters referred to in your address will yet be a source of great blessing and the prayers you refer to will be abundantly answered."

The Langley Indians presented the following address:

To His Excellency, the Right Honorable the Earl of Aberdeen, Governor-General of Canada, &c.

May it please Your Excellency, to grant to us, Indians of the lower Fraser River Agency, the humble privilege of offering to you an expression of our respect and congratulations upon the occasion of your auspicious visit to the locality in which we reside.

It is most agreeable to us to assure you as the representative of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, of our loyalty and devotion to our Gracious Sovereign Queen Victoria.

We congratulate ourselves upon the good fortune which has procured for us this visit from Your Excellency and the honor which is thus bestowed upon our people through Your Excellency's gracious consideration.

Your Excellency will, we trust, pardon and bear with us, if we take this opportunity of laying before you some of the great disabilities under which we labor, and which press so heavily upon us and our community, in the hope that it may please Your Excellency to have our condition ameliorated and our deep grievances removed:

1st. That the Indian lands have never been paid for and that the government took possession of the country without loss of life or injury to the British people, and the government has been benefited from the sale of their lands and in return we are most unjustly treated by the authorities.

That they are desirous of keeping on equal terms with their white neighbors, but are altogether hindered by the neglect of the government to furnish them with farming implements, etc., and other assistance which has been promised to them.

That the U. S. Indians south of the boundary are treated more liberally by their rulers inasmuch as they receive annually an assortment of farm implements, harness, clothing, provisions, etc. At each reservation in that country there are stationed a doctor, farm-instructor and school teacher.

That it is with great difficulty for us Indians here to get even medical assistance and many have heretofore gone to their graves, owing to this culpable neglect of the authorities.

2nd. That their loss by the recent Summer freshet on the Fraser was very great, and it will take some years to replace their property destroyed and injured by the floods, and to leave them in the condition they were before the calamity.

That they particularly noticed with regret that they have been ignored almost altogether by those who had the management of distributing relief to the sufferers, receiving comparatively no assistance, but a few sacks of potatoes, etc., in the time of their great distress, and not only will they suffer from the freshet, but are also liable to lose all their live stock for want of fodder, their crops having been destroyed by the water.

The fishing regulations too this season prevent them from earning enough to provide for themselves, and their live stock during the winter, which here continues for six months.

We beg Your Excellency to favor us by expressing to Lady Aberdeen, our humble respects for Her Excellency, whose kindly heart has made her to bid so many suffering people, and to hope for her compassionate sympathy and help to us, neglected Indians.

And wishing that Your Excellencies may have a prosperous and happy time in our country, doing justice to all, is the wish of us Indians.

We remain, your most faithful humble servants.

The Indians of the Langley Reservation, Fraser River.

Testified and signed by our Chief,
CASSIMERE.

The foregoing is a faithful translation from the Indian language, by request, made by me.

JASON O. ALLARD,
Langley, B.C.

In reply to the address His Excellency said that he was pleased to listen to the loyal expressions the address contained and grateful for the personal references contained in it about himself and Lady Aberdeen. As representing the Great Mother he would see to it that the matters referred to in the address be brought before his advisers, the members of the government, whom he could assure them, were most anxious to do that which was right and just whenever possible. He reminded them that no amount of assistance from the government will make up for their own lost labors. The whites as well as the Indians had to work hard in building up settlements and cutting down trees. He believed in the Indians, like others, cultivating their own lands and carrying on other industries along with the white man. Doing so would result beneficially to all. He closed by again thanking the chiefs and their followers for their expressions of loyalty to Our Gracious Sovereign the Queen, Lady Aberdeen, himself and family.

After visiting the church, school house and other places of interest the party returned to Vancouver in time for the meeting of women, which Lady Aberdeen addressed. The address was on the National Council of Women of Canada, and was on the same line as the address delivered by Her Excellency in Victoria.

At the close of Lady Aberdeen's address she was presented with an address by the ladies of the W. C. T. U. and it was decided to start a branch of the council in Vancouver with the following provisional officers: President, Lady Reid; Vice-Presidents, Mrs. Beecher and Carlyle; Recording Secretary, Miss Walker; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Nicoll; Treasurer, Mrs. Browning.

There was a very large attendance at the reception in the evening.

To-day is being spent in New Westminster.

Hood's Sarsaparilla, acting through the blood, reaches every part of the system, and in this way positively cures catarrh.

A Racking Cough

Cured by Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Mrs. P. D. Hall, 217 Genessee St., Lockport, N. Y., says:

"Over thirty years ago, I remember hearing my father describe the wonderful curative effects of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. During a recent attack of La Grippe, which assumed the form of a catarrh, soreness of the lungs, accompanied by an aggravating cough, I used various remedies and prescriptions. While some of these medicines partially alleviated the coughing during the day, none of them afforded me any relief from that spasmodic action of the lungs which would seize me the moment I attempted to lie down at night. After ten or twelve such nights, I was

Nearly in Despair,

and had about decided to sit up all night in my easy chair, and procure what sleep I could in that way. It then occurred to me that I had a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. I took a spoonful of this preparation in a little water, and was able to lie down without coughing. In a few moments, I fell asleep, and awoke in the morning greatly refreshed and feeling much better. I took a teaspoonful of the Pectoral every night for a week, then gradually decreased the dose, and in two weeks my cough was cured."

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CROMWELL FOND OF SPORT.

Little Known Trait in the Great Protector's Character.

Cromwell, like his brothers in arms, is often described as a morose and gloomy fanatic. We hear of him going through days of sorrow because he had partaken in some innocent enjoyment. He always had a great fear of the Evil One. The real Cromwell, however, was by no means afraid to enjoy himself or averse to amusements. "Oliver," as one of his officers observes, "loved an innocent jest, and especially a practical jest." Under the cuirass of the general or the royal robe of the protector he was always an athletic country gentleman of sporting tastes. His royalist biographers make his early tastes for athletics one of their charges against him. "He learned little at Cambridge," says "Carrion" Heath, "and was more famous for his exercises in the fields than in the schools being one of the chief matchmakers and players of football, cudgels, or any other boisterous sport or game. He was soon cloyed with studies," adds Bates, "delighting more in horses and in pastimes abroad in the fields."

This much we may safely believe, but Heath is probably inventing when he informs us that after Mr. Cromwell returned to his home in Huntingdon "his chief weapon in which he delighted, and at which he fought several times with tinkers, peddlers, and the like, was a quarterstaff, at which he was so skilful that seldom did any overmatch him."—Macmillan's Magazine.

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MUNICIPAL.

Municipal Elections, 1895.

HOUSEHOLDERS' QUALIFICATION.

All persons wishing to qualify, under the above qualification, as voters for the ensuing municipal elections for the year 1895, in accordance with clause E of section 37 of the Municipal Amendment Act, 1894, can do so by calling at the assessor's office, City Hall, and making the necessary declaration on or before the 30th day of November instant.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
Assessor.

City Hall, Victoria, B.C., November, 1894.

NOTICE.

Fort street, between Douglas and Blanchard is closed to public traffic. By order

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Tuesday, October 23, 1894.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Government Street, between Fort and Yates, and Yates Street between Government and Broad, are closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, B. C., August 27th, 1894.

NOTICE.

Herald Street between Government and Douglas Streets is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

October 2nd—tf.

NOTICE.

Douglas Street, from Pembroke Street to King's Road, is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

oc8-tf

NOTICE.

Yates street from Langley to Wharf is closed to traffic till further notice.

By order.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

oc9-tf

NOTICE.

Bastion Street, from Langley to Wharf, is closed to traffic till further notice.

By order,

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

oc9-tf

NOTICE.

Langley Street, from Courtney to Yates Street, is closed to public traffic till further notice.

By order,

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, October 15th, 1894.

NOTICE.

Courtney Street, from Wharf to Langley Street, is closed to public traffic till further notice.

By order.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, October 15th, 1894.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

Land Registry Act.

Part (22x70 feet) of lot 162 Victoria City.—A certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above Hereditaments will be issued to Anna Pittock on the 19th day of January, 1895 unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or in some part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C. 15th October, 1894. oct15-td

Mortgagee's Sale.

Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in an indenture of mortgage registered in the Land Registry Office at Victoria, B. C., as No. 14,547 B in Charge Book vol. II, fol. 881, tenders will be received by the undersigned not later than noon on the 16th of November, 1894, for the purchase of sections 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17 of the easterly 50 acres of section 9, and the easterly 75 acres of section 10 in range 4, Comiaken District in Vancouver Island, containing in all 825 acres more or less.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Dated October 15th, 1894.

LINDLEY CREASE,
16 Chancery Lane, Victoria, B.C.,
Solicitor for the Mortgagee. o16-1m

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria at its next sitting for a transfer to Thomas Potter of the license now held by the undersigned to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Lion Brewery Saloon, situate at the corner of Chambers street and Queen's avenue, in the City of Victoria.

W. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

Administering the estate of Geo. Fairbrother, deceased, intestate. o31-1m

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia

In the matter of the Winding Up Act and Amending Acts; and in the Matter of the Point Comfort Hotel Company, Limited.

The time for settling the list of contributories and adjudicating upon the claims of creditors of the company has been enlarged to Friday, 9th November, 1894, at 11 a.m., and the place appointed is Mr. Justice Crease's chambers at the law courts, Victoria.

Dated 2nd November, 1894.

THORNTON FELL,
Solicitor for the Liquidator.

Enlarged by order of Mr. Justice Crease to Wednesday, the 14th instant, at the same hour and place. nov2-2w

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the city of Victoria at its next sitting by George Meldram for a transfer of the license to sell spirituous or fermented liquors in and upon the premises known as the Clarence Hotel, on Yates street, in the city of Victoria, from James Wishart and G. G. Meldram to said G. G. Meldram.

Dated this 15th day of September, A.D. 1894.

JAMES WISHART.
GEORGE G. MELDRAM.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the city of Victoria at its next sitting for a transfer to Carlo Bossi of the license now held by me to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Osborne House, situated at the corner of Pandora and Blanchard streets, in the city of Victoria.

WILLIAM RAINES.

Victoria, B. C., November 7th, 1894

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that it is my intention to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria at its setting to be held in the month of December next for a transfer to Jean Colgdarripe of the license now held by me to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Colonist Hotel, situate at the corner of Beacon Hill Park and Simcoe street in the city of Victoria.

Dated this 24th day of August, 1894.

n7-1m CHAS. MURISET.

NOTICE.

Re Estate of Peter Gerard, Deceased.

All persons having claims against Peter Gerard, late of the city of Victoria, deceased, are hereby required to send or deliver to the undersigned full particulars of their claims on or before the 7th day of December, 1894, after which date the executors will distribute the assets of the testator, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.

H. G. HALL,
12 Bastion Square, Victoria,
Solicitor for the Executors.

Victoria, B.C., Nov. 7th, 1894. n7-1m

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that it is my intention to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the city of Victoria at its setting to be held in the month of December next for a transfer to Henry Harris of the license now held by me to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Colonist Hotel, situate at the corner of Beacon Hill Park and Simcoe street, in the city of Victoria.

Dated this 1st day of October, 1894.

n7-1m J. COIGDARRIPE.

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PROVINCIAL PARLIAMENT.

The First Session of the New Ligislature Opened This Afternoon.

Hon. D. W. Higgins is Re-Elected Speaker—Speech From the Throne.

There were several familiar faces missing at the opening of the first session of the seventh parliament of British Columbia, which was opened this afternoon by the lieut.-governor. It is the first time since confederation that Hon. Robert Beaven was not present as a member of the legislature. Among others who will be missed during the session are: John Grant, who was a member for twelve years, G. W. Anderson, a member for eight years; Henry Croft, who represented Cowichan for eight years; Hon. F. G. Vernon, who was a member for eighteen years, and others, who although members for but one term, had taken a prominent part in the debates. The oldest members of the present house are C. A. Semlin, leader of the opposition, Joseph Hunter and J. P. Booth, all of whom were elected at confederation, but who have had breaks in the terms of their serivce. Mr. Semlin was not present at the opening, the train upon which he was coming down being delayed east of Vancouver. Mr. Sword was delayed on the same train.

There was a very large attendance at the opening. A guard of honor from the R. M. A., accompanied by the B. C. B. G. A. band, was drawn up in front of the building, and upon the arrival of the lieutenant-governor and staff there was a royal salute.

The members having been sworn in by Mr. Thornton Fell, clerk of the legislature, they took their seats, and shortly afterwards the lieutenant-governor took the throne and asked the house to elect a speaker. When the lieutenant-governor had withdrawn Mr. Eberts moved that Mr. D. W. Higgins be speaker of the house, paying a high tribute to Mr. Higgins' course as speaker of the last parliament.

Mr. Cotton seconded the motion. He referred to the impartiality of Mr. Higgins during the sessions of the last parliament.

Hon. Mr. Higgins was unanimously elected, and in thanking the members said he would try to act fairly in the future, and every member can be sure of his assistance and protection.

On again taking the throne his honor read the speech from the throne as follows:

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

It is with pleasure I welcome you to the first session of a new house, and I hope that in the performance of your duties you will make the seventh parliament memorable for the wisdom and progressive character of its legislation.

The year which is now drawing to a close has been one of great financial depression throughout the world, and, consequently, in common with other countries, the revenue has not come up to expectation.

The floods of the present year, although happily unattended with loss of life, were productive of much damage to property, and expenditures became necessary in excess of the sums voted by the legislature for the purpose of restoring means of communication and extending temporary relief to those in need.

The moneys required were raised, with the advice of my ministers, by special warrant, and you are called together at an earlier date than is usual in order that you may ratify these and other expenditures demanded in the public service, and also to consider an act for raising a loan to meet and be devoted to works of public utility.

In extending relief to sufferers from the floods, I caused seed to be supplied to farmers who had lost their crop, with the highly gratifying result that the produce has not been seriously diminished, and in some cases is equal to and greater than in former years.

Absurdly exaggerated reports of loss of life and property incident to the floods were published broadcast at a time when the extent of damage was unknown. My ministers, however, took prompt measures to remove an impression created thereby, which if permitted to remain must have seriously affected the welfare of the province.

Since the last meeting of the assembly the province has had to deplore the death of one who for thirty-five years was its chief justice, the late Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, by whose demise has been removed a central figure in British Columbia's history, a man of distinguished ability, to whose memory society owes a debt of gratitude for establishing our effective code of justice on firm and lasting foundations.

Coal mining, which during the early part of the year for lack of profitable foreign demand was restricted in its operation, exhibits signs of renewed activity, and the output promises large increase.

The commencement is evident of a healthy reaction in the timber industry, and the exports of lumber have been larger than in preceding years.

Quartz mining in Kootenay, and the inauguration on a large scale in Cariboo and elsewhere in the province of placer mining by improved hydraulic methods, have been most encouraging, and betoken an area of great mining development in British Columbia.

The season's operations in salmon canning have been large, the sealing industry has experienced a successful year, the fleet returning with an unprecedented catch; and it is gratifying to observe that attention has been directed to deep sea fishing, and that a regular trade has now been established with eastern markets.

I am happy to state that the Nakusp & Slocan railway is completed, and already large bodies of ore are being shipped over it. The bonds authorized by the act of last session have been negotiated in London, bearing interest at 4 per cent. per annum, and have been sold at a premium of 6 per cent.

My attorney-general recently proceeded to Ottawa and discussed with the members of the Dominion cabinet terms of settlement of the long pending dispute with reference to the lands in the railway belt. As a result I expect to be able to lay particulars of a settlement before you during the present session. During his visit to Ottawa an arrangement was also concluded for the issuance of a joint departmental commission, having for its object a report by expert engineers on the feasibility of a comprehensive scheme for the protection of the Fraser river valley. Papers on this subject will be laid before you.

The department of immigration has effected the location of a Norwegian colony of well to do settlers in Bella Cool valley. The success of this effort will doubtless secure the establishment of future colonies of a similar character.

The province has been favored with a visit from His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada and his amiable consort the Countess of Aberdeen, and it is highly satisfactory to know that on every hand Their Excellencies have met with enthusiastic expressions of welcome, and that they will take their departure with a warm and generous appreciation of the loyalty of Her Majesty's subjects in this portion of her dominions.

Amongst measures to be submitted for your consideration will be an act to amend the assessment act, a consolidated lien act, a small debts recovery act, an act for giving to cities the option of government by commissioners, and an act authorizing the revision of the statutes.

The subject of further railway extension for the development of the resources of the province will receive consideration, and should any practical proposal be forthcoming it will be laid before you in due course.

The estimates of revenue and expenditure for the ensuing year to be shortly laid before you will be found to be framed with strict regard to economy and the requirements of the public service.

I now leave you to your deliberations in the confidence that your labors will be pursued with earnestness and zeal, and that they will redound to your honor and the advantage of this favored province. May the Supreme Ruler direct your efforts.

After prayers by Bishop Perrin the usual formal motions were passed.

Hon. Mr. Davie introduced a bill respecting workmen's wages.

Hon. Mr. Davie moved that the speech of his honor the lieutenant-governor be taken into consideration on Thursday.

The motion was adopted.

Hon. Mr. Davie moved that the house adjourn until Thursday.

Mr. Cotton asked for some information. The members were called together at an inconvenient time, and when called together the house should proceed to business immediately.

Hon. Mr. Davie said it was for the convenience of all the members that it was proposed to adjourn until Thursday, some of them not being in their places.

On motion it was decided to adjourn until Thursday.

Hon. Mr. Turner presented the public accounts for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1894.

The house adjourned at 3:35.

Brief Locals.

—Pottinger, the notorious drunk, was up again to-day. He was fined $10.

—Wm. Carter, summoned for vagrancy, failed to appear in police court today and a warrant was ordered issued. It is presumed that he has left the country to avoid trial.

—The city council will meet in regular session to-night. Nothing of special importance is down for consideration, although the closing of Esquimalt road may be gone into.

The committee appointed to arrange for the meeting in connection with the National Council of Women of Canada, understanding that there was some dissatisfaction regarding the issue of platform tickets, desire to explain that the number of societies in the city being so large tickets could only be sent to the presidents.

—Superintendent Fred. S. Hussey of the provincial police has returned to Vancouver from a trip to Read Island made for the purpose of investigating the Benson murder. He went up on the Rainbow and returned on the Comox, spending some time on the ground. He declined to talk to the newspaper men at Vancouver, but it is said he was not successful in his trip as far as ascertaining anything of a tangible nature is concerned.

—Cold in the head—Nasal Balm gives instant relief; speedily cures. Never fails.

NANAIMO NEWS.

The Reform Club Meets and Elect Officers for the Ensuing Year.

Reported Strike Among the Coal Miners of Union on Account of a Cut.

Nanaimo, Nov. 12.—A fire broke out at the residence of Mr. H. Proctor at 7:30 yesterday morning. The flames were first observed by Mrs. Lee who awakened the family. Mr. Proctor turned in an alarm and with the neighbors tried to subdue the flames. The neighbors flocked into the house and carried out everything they could lay their hands on. The fire department were prompt on the spot and succeeded in confining the flames to the front room, so that in a short time after their arrival all further danger was averted. It is presumed that the fire was caused by a piece of lighted coal or spark from a fire in the grate igniting the carpet. The tents of the front room may be considered totally destroyed. The furniture and the piano were insured in the Phoenix for $1200 and the building, which is owned by Dr. Hall, is also insured. A pocket book containing about $100 was lost in the fire. Many trinkets were also lost.

Quite a number of miners returned to Nanaimo from the Union mines on Friday last, and some of them claim that a strike is now prevailing there. The wages previously paid have been cut down and the statement is made that the men refused to accept the cut so preferred to strike. The cut is said to be ten per cent., which means that runners and drivers would be required to work for $2.25 a day, a wage that is considered too low among men employed in the mines.

The election of officers of the Reform Club took place at their annual meeting on Saturday night amid much enthusiasm. T. R. E. McInnis was elected president by acclamation and the list now stands as follows: President, T. R. E. McInnis; Treasurer, D. S. McDonald; corresponding secretary, W. W. B. McInnis; recording secretary, Tully Boyce. Executive committee—Arthur Dutton, Captain Honeyman, David Hoggan, Thomas Keith, J. E. McKenzie, H. Proctor, S. M. Peterkin, James Patterson, Ralph Smith and Arthur Wilson.

Mr. W. Horne returned yesterday from up the coast where he had been with the representative of a German syndicate who has been sent here to examine a nickel claim owned by Mr. Horne. The ore is very rich and there is every reason to believe the syndicate will purchase the claim.

The Hornets, seniors and juniors, played a friendly match on the Caledonian grounds yesterday in the presence of a large concourse of citizens. It was evident from the start that the juniors were out-matched but still they played a stubborn game. The seniors won by one goal and two tries to nil.

Next Saturday night the Silver Cornet band will give a concert in the opera house for the purpose of raising funds to purchase a complete set of instruments. The cost is said to be about $1300 and it is to be hoped that they will meet with the success they deserve. There is not a band in the province that does not enjoy better advantages than the Nanaimo band and yet when the latter ask a reasonable price for their services it is considered high although generally they are compelled to lose a day from their regular employment to fulfill an engagement.

Fifty Inch Melton Cloths

And Stanley dress tweeds, 65ty cents per yard at Russell & McDonald's.

TO PUNISH MADAGASCAR.

The French Nation to Oust the Unfortunate Hovas.

Paris, Nov. 12.—It is officially announced that the government will ask the chambers for a credit of sixty-five million francs for the purpose of prosecuting the campaign against Madagascar. The government also announce that fifteen thousand troops will be sent to Madagascar at once.

THE ITALIAN CAPITAL.

Conference of Patriarchs—Frauds in Railway Administration.

Rome, Nov. 12.—The Vatican is satisfied with the results of the conference of patriarchs, and the pope has authorized them to maintain a resident bishop in Rome to assist in the plans to develope the Catholic clergy in the Orient and prepare for a union of the churches.

Frauds have been detected in the Italian railway administration to the extent of several million lires. A number of arrests have been made.

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PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer Rosalie from the Sound—J N Harrison, J C Urich, C D Arper, Mrs Arper, L N Jones, Miss Jones, W R Hamilton, C E Warren, W J Kelley, C A Freedman, F J Jones, R S Day, J H Brownlee, Capt Hastings.

Per City of Kingston from the Sound—A G Diersh, E Comale, S C Kirk, Mrs Kinsmond, A Clayborn, Mrs L McGovern, F W Gatter, J P Rogers, G H Lippet, J W Holden, A H Melorlie and wife, E O Logan, H H Lloyd, Mrs Kinsman, H Monroe, J J Flanagan, P Hall and wife, Miss Kinsman.

Per Steamer Charmer from Vancouver—J Garret, Thos Kidd, B H Harrison, J F Gibson, A W Tree, G Grant, R Stewart, C L Winter, J J Kent, J Bronstock, Mr Payne, J Knox, G D Fahnestock, R A Renwick, Ion Sam, J R Kerr, F C Cotton, J A Howey, C W Ward, G S Dutcher, Walter Shears, J Mahood, G Goldberg, C Connolly, F B McIntyre, S Greer, A Williams and wife, R James, H Wilson, W O Hughes.

CONSIGNEES.

Per City of Kingston from the Sound—B & K M Co, S Baker & Son, L Brown, J Gianard, W J Dowler, Wah Gim Fook Yuen, Yen Kee.

Per Steamer Rosalie from the Sound—John Wilson & Co, S Shoen, Sere & Co, Robt Wm Clarke, Express, C H Weeks, M Wolf.

Per Steamer Charmer from Vancouver—Standard Oil Co, Wm Mable, J Maynard, Okell & M, Mrs Connell, Fell & Co, Thos Earle, Lens & Leiser, Burchell & Howey, A Lapierre, D H Ross, E Wall & Co, J Ingham, Johns Bros, J Gosnell, W J Dwyer, W Blackie, Dom Exp Co.

DIED.

BARNSWELL—In this city on the 11th inst., at his father's residence, 202 Johnson street, Horatio Frederick, eldest son of James A. and Mary Barnswell, aged 22 years.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday, at 2:30 from the residence as above.

Use Gibbon's Tootache gum, sold druggists.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Bazaar

In aid of the Catholic church will be held in

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Lunch will be served from 12:30 to 2, 25 cents; high tea from 6 to 7:30, 25 cents. Musical entertainment in the evening. Admission, 25 cents; free during lunch hour. n10-3t

Under the Patronage of Lieut.-Gov. and Mrs. Dewdney.

INTERNATIONAL CONCERT.

Meeting of the Nations

In aid of the Orphans' Homes of the city, in A.O.U.W. HALL, Yates street,

Wednesday, November 14, at 8 p.m.

National Airs! National Costumes!

"Prison Scene" and Grand Duett from "Il Trovatore." Violin and piano solos, etc. Tickets, 50c., two children admitted on one tickets. W. Edgar Buck, Director. 7-6t

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